

Attachment 1



City of Alexandria Transportation Commission -- June 6, 2012

**Monthly Update of Non-Federal Transportation Board Major Actions & Funding**

Board/Body	Agency/Mission	Recent Meeting	Next Meeting	Recent Action Related to Transportation in the City of Alexandria	Items for Transportation Commission Consideration or Action
City Council	City Council approves the annual Capital Improvement Program for the City of Alexandria.	22-May	13-Jun	On May 6, 2012, the City Council approved the City FY2013 Operating Budget and FY2013-FY2018 Capital Improvement Program. On May 12, 2012, City Council approved the design of the Route 1 High Capacity Transitway. On May 22, 2012, City Council approved a reallocation of the City's Transportation Improvement funds to pay for the first year of operation of the City Capital Bikeshare facilities	None
Commonwealth Transportation Board (CTB)	Virginia Dept. of Transportation, Dept. of Rail & Public Transportation, Dept. of Aviation, Port of Virginia. Board sets transportation policy and funding priorities for Virginia.	16-May	20-Jun	A letter was sent commenting upon the Draft Six Year Plan for FY2013-18	None
Transportation Planning Board (TPB)	Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments. The regional planning body that serves as the federally designated Metropolitan Planning Organization.	16-May	20-Jun	A Complete Streets Policy for the National Capital Region was adopted by the Transportation Planning Board	None
Northern Virginia Transportation Authority (NVTA)	Nine cities/counties in NoVa with a 16-member board. Charged with preparing and implementing a regional transportation plan.	10-May	12-Nov	A NVTA meeting occurred on May 10, 2012. The 2040 Transportation Plan, being developed by staff and consultants was extensively discussed. The Efficiency and Effectiveness study to review the structure of transportation functions in Northern Virginia was also the subject of the meeting	None
Northern Virginia Transportation Commission (NVTC)	Manages and controls the functions, affairs, and property of the Northern Virginia Transportation District which is comprised of six member jurisdictions, including Alexandria. NVTC provides a policy forum for its region and allocates state, regional, and federal transit assistance.	3-May	7-Jun	The jurisdictions and NVTC were given a directive to change the way the Commonwealth funds are given to jurisdictions in northern Virginia. At this writing staff is studying how to respond to this directive	None
Washington Metropolitan Transit Authority (WMATA) Board	Provides rail, bus and paratransit services regionally and determines agency policy and provides oversight for the funding, operation, and expansion of transit facilities.	24-May	28-Jun	The WMATA Board approved an operating and capital budget for FY2013. One significant change in the budget is to shift some of the Blue Line trains to the bridge going over the Potomac River rather than the Rosslyn tunnel, in preparation for changes needed for the Silver Line implementation. The City and Arlington County have developed a bus alternative for people travel from Alexandria to the Rosslyn-Ballston corridor	None
Northern Virginia Regional Commission (NVRC)	Regional council of 14 member governments in Northern Virginia that provides information and serves as a mechanism for regional coordination	24-May	28-Jun	The Transportation Consolidation and Efficiency study were discussed at the March 22, 2012 meeting, the most recent one summarized by NVRC.	None